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Sir:

In response to the Official Action of September 17, 2008, in which a three-month shortened statutory period for response was set to expire on December 17, 2008, and which has been extended, by the attached request for extension of time, to expire on February 17, 2009, and concurrently with the filing of a Request for Continued Examination (RCE), Applicants respectfully request entry of the herein contained amendment together with reconsideration and withdrawal of the outstanding rejection set forth in the above mentioned Official Action, in view of the herein contained amendment and remarks:

Amendment to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper:

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper: